Movement Conservatives, a Prayer

Any movement can’t govern,
since that’s what they’re least

prepared for. So they appoint
hacks who fall asleep at their

desks, awakening only to steal.
Meantime, The Movement ruins
whatever enemies remain,

or awards titles to
turncoats. Gets boring

when down to small fry,
thus…nothing but discussing

purity. So it, too, sets about grasp-
ming, recruits adventurous thieves,
the old gritty zeal reprised.

Paraphrasing Hoffer:
Every movement ends
in a racket.

Amen.